

CONTINUING EDUCATION Mathematics Department - MCV4U PRACTICE EXAM

PART A: Fill in the blanks. Write your answer on the line provided.

1. Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} \left(\frac{\sqrt{x+2} - 2}{x-2} \right)$ $\times \frac{\sqrt{x+2} + 2}{\sqrt{x+2} + 2}$ $\frac{x+2-4}{(x-2)(\sqrt{x+2}+2)}$ $\frac{1}{4}$

2. Determine the $\lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{3x^2 + 1}{4x^2 - 2}$ $\frac{3}{4}$

3. What does $\lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{(x+h)^2 - x^2}{h}$ equal? $\frac{x^2 + 2xh + h^2 - x^2}{h}$ $2x$

4. Does $f(x) = 2x^2 - 8x$ have any inflection points? $4x - 8$
 4 No

5. For the function $f(x) = \begin{cases} x^2 + 3, & x \geq 2 \\ 2x + 3, & -1 \leq x < 2 \\ x^3, & x < -1 \end{cases}$

(a) Evaluate $f(-1)$ $-2+3$ 1

(b) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow -1} f(x)$ DNE

(c) Evaluate $\lim_{x \rightarrow 2} f(x)$ 7

6. Differentiate
(a) $f(x) = 2x^3 - x$ $6x^2 - 1$

(b) $y = \frac{1}{x^4}$ $-\frac{4}{x^5}$

(c) $f(x) = 5^{(2x)}$ $5^{2x} \cdot \ln 5 \cdot 2$

(d) $f(x) = e^{\cos x}$ $e^{\cos x} (-\sin x)$

(e) $f(x) = \tan(3x - 4)$ $3 \sec^2(3x - 4)$

7. Determine $g(f(2))$ if $f(x) = \sqrt{x^2 + 5}$ and $g(x) = x^2 + x - 2$ 10

8. If $y = u^3 + u^2 - 1$, where $u = \frac{1}{1-x}$, determine $\frac{dy}{dx}$ at $x = 2$. $\frac{dy}{dx} = -1$

Let $f(x) = \frac{2x^3 - x^2 + 2x + 1}{x^2 + 1}$. What is the equation of the oblique asymptote. Don't do!
 $y = 2x - 1$

Part B: Short Answer Questions
Answer in the space provided

1. Using First Principles (ie: the limit definition of a derivative), determine the derivative of $f(x) = \frac{3}{x^2}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{f(x+h) - f(x)}{h} &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{\frac{3}{(x+h)^2} - \frac{3}{x^2}}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 - 3(x+h)^2}{x^2(x+h)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{3x^2 - 3x^2 - 6xh - 3h^2}{x^2(x+h)^2} \cdot \frac{1}{h} \\
 &= \lim_{h \rightarrow 0} \frac{-6x - 3h}{x^2(x+h)^2} \\
 &= \frac{-6x}{x^4} \\
 &= \frac{-6}{x^3}
 \end{aligned}$$

2. Differentiate the following functions. **Do Not Simplify.**

a) $y = \frac{1+x^2}{1+x^3}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 y' &= \frac{2x(1+x^3) - 3x^2(1+x^2)}{(1+x^3)^2} \\
 &= \frac{2x + 2x^4 - 3x^2 - 3x^4}{(1+x^3)^2}
 \end{aligned}$$

b) $g(x) = (x^3 - 2x + 3)^4$

$$g'(x) = 4(x^3 - 2x + 3)^3 (3x^2 - 2)$$

c) $f(x) = (x^2 + 1)^3 (7x + 2)^2$

$$f'(x) = (x^2 + 1)^3 2(7x + 2)(7) + (7x + 2)^2 (3)(x^2 + 1)^2 (2x)$$

3. Find the equation of the line tangent to the curve USING IMPLICIT DIFFERENTIATION on $x^2 - 2xy + 8 = 0$ at the point (2,3) in *standard form*.

$$2x - \left(2x \frac{dy}{dx} + 2y\right) = 0$$

$$1 - \frac{2y}{2x} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$2x - 2x \frac{dy}{dx} - 2y = 0$$

$$1 - \frac{2(3)}{2(2)} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$1 - \frac{6}{4} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$2x - 2y = 2x \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$-\frac{1}{2} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$\frac{2x - 2y}{2x} = \frac{dy}{dx}$$

$$y - 3 = -\frac{1}{2}(x - 2)$$

$$2y - 6 = -x + 2$$

$$0 = -x - 2y + 8$$

4. Determine the limit of the following function $\lim_{x \rightarrow 125} \frac{125 - x}{x^{\frac{1}{3}} - 5}$

$$0 = x + 2y - 8$$

$$\text{let } x^{\frac{1}{3}} = u \quad 125^{\frac{1}{3}} = u$$

$$x = u^3 \quad 5 = u$$

$$\lim_{u \rightarrow 5} \frac{125 - u^3}{u - 5}$$

$$= \lim_{u \rightarrow 5} \frac{(5 - u)(25 + 5u + u^2)}{u - 5}$$

$$= \lim_{u \rightarrow 5} (-1)(25 + 5u + u^2)$$

$$= (-1)(25 + 5(5) + 5^2)$$

$$= -75$$

5. A train travels along a straight track in a way that its position, in meters, can be expressed as a function $s(t) = 6t^2 + 4t$ where t is in seconds.
- a) Determine the average velocity between $t = 3$ s. and $t = 6$ s.
 - b) Determine the instantaneous velocity when $t = 6$ s.
 - c) Determine the acceleration.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{a) } \frac{s(6) - s(3)}{6 - 3} &= \frac{6(6)^2 + 4(6) - (6(3)^2 + 4(3))}{6 - 3} \\ &= \frac{216 + 24 - 54 - 12}{3} \\ &= 174/3 \\ &= 58 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{b) } v(t) &= 12t + 4 \\ v(6) &= 12(6) + 4 \\ &= 72 + 4 \\ &= 76 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{c) } a(t) = 12$$

Part C: Problem Solving

Show all your work, providing neat and clear solutions in the space provided.

1. Find and classify any turning points for the function $f(t) = 2t^3 - 21t^2 + 60t$

$$f'(t) = 6t^2 - 42t + 60$$

$$0 = 6t^2 - 42t + 60$$

$$= t^2 - 7t + 10$$

$$= (t-5)(t-2)$$

$$t = 5, 2$$

$$f''(t) = 12t - 42$$

$$f''(5) = 12(5) - 42$$

$$= 60 - 42$$

$$= 18 \quad \therefore \text{concave up} \\ \therefore \text{min @ } t=5$$

$$f''(2) = 12(2) - 42$$

$$= 24 - 42$$

$$= -18 \quad \therefore \text{concave down} \\ \therefore \text{max @ } t=2$$

2. A conical paper cup, with radius of 5 cm and height of 15 cm, is leaking water at a rate of $2 \text{ cm}^3/\text{min}$.

At what rate is the water level decreasing when the water is 3 cm deep? $[V = \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h]$

$$\begin{array}{l} \frac{5}{r} = \frac{15}{h} \\ 5h = 15r \\ h = 3r \end{array}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 h \\ V &= \frac{1}{3} \pi r^2 (3r) \\ &= \pi r^3 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= 3\pi r^2 \frac{dr}{dt} \\ 2 &= 3\pi (1)^2 \cdot \frac{dr}{dt} \\ \frac{2}{3\pi} &= \frac{dr}{dt} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V &= \frac{1}{3} \pi \left(\frac{h}{3}\right)^2 h \\ &= \frac{1}{3} \pi \frac{h^2}{9} h \\ &= \frac{\pi h^3}{27} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dV}{dt} &= \frac{1}{9} \pi h^2 \cdot \frac{dh}{dt} \\ 3 &= \frac{1}{9} \pi (3)^2 \cdot \frac{dh}{dt} \Rightarrow \frac{3}{\pi} = \frac{dh}{dt} \\ 3 &= \pi \cdot \frac{dh}{dt} \end{aligned}$$

3. A can is to be made to hold a litre of oil. What dimensions of the can are needed to minimize the cost of the metal to make the can. $[1 \text{ L} = 1000 \text{ cm}^3, V = \pi r^2 h, SA = 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi rh]$

$$\begin{aligned} 1000 &= \pi r^2 h \\ \frac{1000}{\pi r^2} &= h \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} SA &= 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi rh \\ &= 2\pi r^2 + 2\pi r \left(\frac{1000}{\pi r^2}\right) \\ &= 2\pi r^2 + \frac{2000}{r} \end{aligned}$$

$$SA' = 4\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2}$$

$$0 = 4\pi r - \frac{2000}{r^2}$$

$$4\pi r^3 = 2000$$

$$r^3 = \frac{2000}{4\pi}$$

$$r^3 = \frac{500}{\pi}$$

$$r = \sqrt[3]{\frac{500}{\pi}}$$

4. The curve defined by $f(x) = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x^2}$ has $f'(x) = \frac{-2x + 6}{x^3}$, and $f''(x) = \frac{4x - 18}{x^4}$.

a) State the equations of any asymptotes. Examine the end behaviours.

$$\text{V.A. } x = 0$$

$$\text{H.A. } y = 1$$

$$\begin{aligned} \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x^2} \\ &= \lim_{x \rightarrow \infty} \frac{x^2(1 + \frac{2}{x} - \frac{3}{x^2})}{x^2} \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$f(1000) = \frac{1000^2 + 2(1000) - 3}{1000^2}$$

$$f(-1000) = \frac{(-1000)^2 + 2(-1000) - 3}{(-1000)^2}$$

- b) Determine the co-ordinates of the x and y intercepts.

$$\text{x-int: } 0 = \frac{x^2 + 2x - 3}{x^2}$$

$$0 = x^2 + 2x - 3$$

$$= (x+3)(x-1)$$

$$x = -3, 1$$

$$\text{y-int } y = \frac{0^2 + 2(0) - 3}{0^2}$$

$$= \frac{-3}{0}$$

No y-int.

- c) Determine the coordinates of all maximum and minimum points. Justify your answers.

$$-2x + 6 = 0$$

$$2x = 6$$

$$x = 3$$

$$y = \frac{3^2 + 2(3) - 3}{3^2}$$

$$= \frac{12}{9}$$

$$= \frac{4}{3}$$

$$f''(3) = \frac{4(3) - 18}{3^4}$$

$$= \frac{-6}{81}$$

$$= \frac{-2}{27}$$

∴ max at $(3, \frac{4}{3})$

- d) Determine the x coordinates of all points of inflection.

$$4x - 18 = 0$$

$$4x = 18$$

$$x = \frac{9}{2}$$

- e) Graph the function and identify any significant features.

